L. H. J. whether the Vote Relating to.... the Importation of Bread to Horses. Negative.... Tobacco Law....

October 19

[Thursday October 19, 1727]

Bill Ascertaining the form of the Oath.....read and Assented to. And was so....the Bill for Distroying Wolves Crows..... Sent to the Upper House by Mr Holliday.....

They return and say they Delivered it

Benjamin Tasker Esq^r from the Upper House delivers to M^r Speaker the Petition of Thomas Hill a Poor Prisoner.

By the Upper House of Assembly Oct^r 19th 1727 Read and reterred to the Consideration of the Lower House of Assembly.

Sign'd p Order Geo: Plater Cl: Up: Ho.

A Bill for Encouraging the making Hemp read the first time and Ordered to lie on the Table.

A Bill Reviving the Act for Advancement of Justice reviving p. 32 Act for Relieving the Inhabitants from some Aggrievances. read the first time... Lie on the Table.

A Bill for.....Bowen to John....which was sent to the..... Maj^r Skinner.

They....delivered it.

Nicholas Lowe Esq^r.....House delivers M^r Speaker the Petition.....on behalf of John Bickerton and another of the said Chews on behalf of the Heirs of Col^o Richard Perry And the Petition of Samuel Stevens severally thus Endorst Viz.

By the Upper House of Assembly Oct^r 19^{th} 1727

Read and referr'd to the Consideration of the Lower House of Assembly

Sign'd p Order Geo: Plater Cl: Up: Ho:

And also delivers the Petition of William Ford thus Endorst Viz. [The text of the endorsement will be found at page 23.]

p. 33 Holliday is Added to the Committee of Laws..... Saint Pauls Parish in Queen Anns County..... given to bring in a Bill.

The Petition of John Glassington was read again & Leave given to bring in a Bill as Prayed.

The Petition of Samuel Chew on behalf of John Bickerton was read and Leave given to bring in a Bill as Pray'd

The House Adjourns till to Morrow Morning Nine a Clock